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Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled:

TAPE MEASURE THAT INCORPORATES A WHEELED MARKING DEVICE FOR APPLYING A MARKING INDICIA

and invented by:

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2. Specification having 38 pages and including the following:
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 - b. Cross References to Related Applications (*if applicable*)
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 - d. Reference to Sequence Listing, a Table, or a Computer Program Listing Appendix
 - e. Background of the Invention
 - f. Brief Summary of the Invention
 - g. Brief Description of the Drawings (*if filed*)
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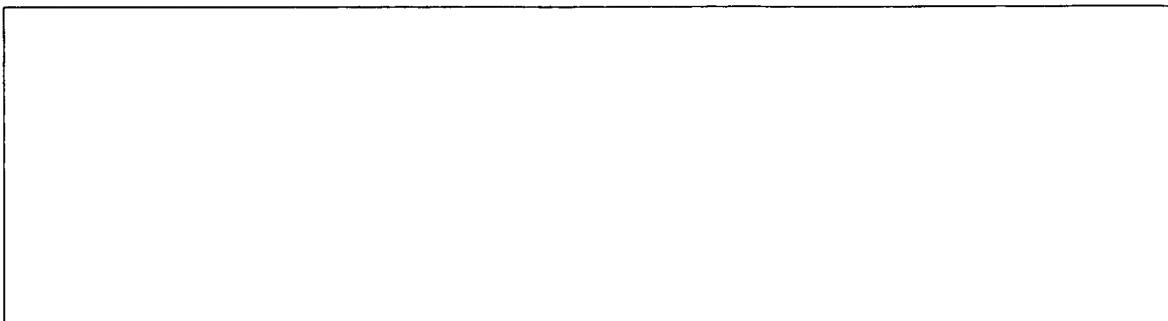
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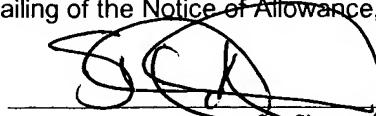
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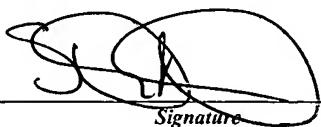
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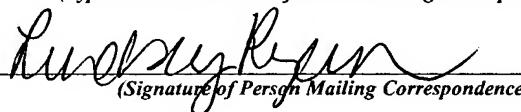
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